

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

The present invention relates to a combination comprising a plurality of cDNAs which are  
5 differentially expressed in activated vascular tissue and which may be used in their entirety or in part to  
diagnose, to stage to treat or to monitor the progression or treatment of a vascular disorder such as  
atherosclerosis, cancer, coronary artery disease, hypertension, diabetes, preeclampsia, ischemia-reperfusion  
injury, restenosis, and stroke.

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Abstract of the Disclosure